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DURING HIS FOUR WEEKS PROGRAM IN NIGERIA, STAG FLOYD ARPAN WIDELY
RECEIVED AS DISTINGUISHED EDUCATOR AND WELL-KNOWN COLLEAGUE OF LEADING

JOURNALISTS.

ARPAN WAS MAJOR SPEAKER AT JOURNALISM SEMINARS FOCUSING ON
"ROLE OF MEDIA IN EDUCATING THE PUBLIC" CO-SPONSORED BY USIS AND
LOCAL MEDIA ORGANIZATIONS AND MINISTRIES IN KANO, JOS,
ENUGU, ILORIN AND LAGOS.

SEMINAR PARTICIPANTS AND AUDIENCES RANGED FROM OFFICIALS OF STATE
MINISTRIES OF INFORMATION AND EDUCATION, TOP EDITORS, PUBLISHERS,
BROADCASTING DIRECTORS AND COMMUNICATIONS PROFESSORS TO MIDDLE
LEVEL WORKING JOURNALISTS AND TRAINEES. IN DISCUSSIONS ON RELEVANCE
OF MEDIA TO IMPLEMENTATION OF UNIVERSAL PRIMARY EDUCATION AND ON
PROFESSIONALISM IN JOURNALISM, HE WAS PARTICULARLY INSPIRING TO YOUNG
JOURNALISTS AND TO BURGEONING NEWSPAPERS AND BROADCAST STATIONS.

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POST VERY PLEASE WITH IMPOART ARPAN'S VISIT. HIS REPUTATION HERE IS

ENORMOUS AND ADDS GREATLY TO EFFECTIVENESS OF USIS SEMINARS. HE WOULD

BE ENTHUSIASTICALLY WELCOMED AGAIN. FULL AIRGRAM REPORT FOLLOWS.
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